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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex Parte Communication. ET Docket No. 04-352.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's Rules, this is to notify you that on March 2, 2005, Robert Koppel of Texas Instruments, Inc., Peter Pitsch of Intel Corporation, and Roberto Aiello of Staccato Communications, Inc., as representatives of the Multi-Band OFDM Alliance – Special Interest Group ("MBOA-SIG"), met separately with Sam Feder (Office of Commissioner Martin), Barry Ohlson (Office of Commissioner Adelstein), Paul Margie (Office of Commissioner Copps) and John Branscome (on assignment to Office of Commissioner Abernathy).

During the meetings, the representatives of the MBOA-SIG urged the FCC to grant the waiver requested in the above-captioned docket, for the reasons set forth in MBOA-SIG's Petition for Waiver (filed August 24, 2004) and Reply to Oppositions (filed October 21, 2004). The representatives of the MBOA-SIG emphasized that real world tests have demonstrated that MB-OFDM causes no more interference to licensed services than other UWB platforms already approved by the FCC, and that the FCC should let the marketplace, not the regulatory process, decide which is the best UWB technology.

Pursuant to the Commission's Rules, one copy of this notice is being filed electronically with the Commission.

Sincerely,

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Barry Ohlson  
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